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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is requested that the time for filing the following documents, now set to expire on March 14, 2002, be extended for the time period indicated below, to expire on May 14, 2002.

- (X) Response to Office Action
- () Brief on Appeal or Reply Brief
- () A Verified Statement Under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27
 - () is enclosed
 - () is of record in this application

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Respectfully submitted,

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